
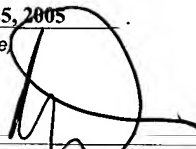


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| <b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>  |  |                              |                                | Docket No.<br><b>17408</b>    |                                 |
| Applicant(s): <b>Koichi Ohto, et al.</b>  |  |                              |                                |                               |                                 |
| Application No.<br><b>10/767,786</b>  | Filing Date<br><b>January 29, 2004</b> | Examiner<br><b>Ori Nadav</b> | Customer No.<br><b>23389</b>   | Group Art Unit<br><b>2811</b> | Confirmation No.<br><b>7289</b> |
| Invention: <b>SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, AND PRODUCTION METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SUCH SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE</b>   |  |                              |                                |                               |                                 |
| <b>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>  |  |                              |                                |                               |                                 |
| Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.<br>The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.   |  |                              |                                |                               |                                 |
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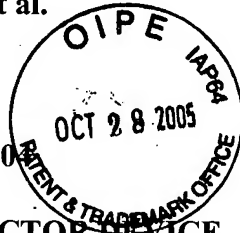
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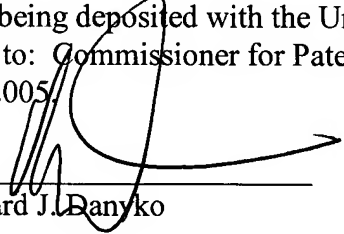
In response to the office action of July 25, 2005, the applicants submit the following reply.

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